

**LUNA COUNTY, NM**

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1,997	1,992	1,987
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	192	185	207
Acreage	603,428	797,117	930,471
Average size (acres)	3,143	4,309	4,495
Median size (acres)	445	N	N
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	738,486	727,478	632,636
Machinery/equip (dollars)	103,427	86,450	68,940
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	D	D	D
Harvested	30,560	28,501	26,787
Irrigated	31,184	29,732	26,675
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	49,067	49,784	32,106
(dollars avg. per farm)	255,557	269,105	155,099
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	64,494	38,001	18,531
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	29,121	37,108	37,989
Beef cows	D	14,578	16,326
Milk cows	D	5	89
Hogs and pigs	D	D	D
Sheep and lambs	60	116	D
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	D	341
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	719	866	471
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	1,935	977	2,785
Wheat	1,853	1,881	1,447
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	6,448	3,887	9,567
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	N	N	N
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	5,017	2,730	3,028
<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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### Orchards

Number of farms	32	25	33
Acreage	1,471	1,763	1,418

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### Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture